1	2	3	4	5	6
20	Nagaland	146.90	294.10	299.42	5.00
21	Orissa	6772.05	10138.40	7550.38	2049.95
22	Punjab	5869.25	4216.15	10323.13	3022.20
23	Rajasthan	9413.80	11038.45	0.00	5783.28
24	Tamil Nadu	9428.90	15606.58	10670.33	4028.96
25	Tripura	578.60	257.25	2139.57	916.75
26	Uttar Pradesh	33040.70	35289.95	36391.70	20436.55
27	Uttaranchal	##	1766.87	3400.00	0.00
28	West Bengal	436.00	372.55	0.00	0.00
29	Andaman & Nicobar	113.70	55.30	106.00	59.45
30	Chandigarh	83.40	44.05	48.15	36.80
31	Daman & Diu	21.25	17.45	18.10	7.00
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	37.60	33.60	25.90	11.35
33	Lakshadweep	24.25	15.40	10.95	8.35
34	Pondicheery	203.55	369.55	168.93	0.00
35	Sikkim	105.20	14.02	15.25	5.00
	Total :	158499.97	176606.00	141735.50	146901.73

The States were created in the year 2000-01

Growth of Agro and Rural Industries

1544. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of Agro and Rural Industries, so far, production and employment generation and concerned; and

(b) the strategy proposed to be adopted during the Tenth Five Year Plan period for growth of the agro and rural industries?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES (SHRI SANGH PRIYA GAUTAM): (a) The present status of the Agro and Rural Industries in relation to production and employment generation upto 2001-02, are as under :—

	Employment (Persons in lakhs)	Production (Rs. in crores)
Khadi	8.48	416.69
Village Industries	54.16	7140.52

(b) As a strategy for the growth of the agro and rural industries, the Government has decided to continue the Rural Employment Generation Programme through the Khadi and Village Industries Commission so as to generate additional employment opportunities from 2.0 million persons in the 10th Five Year Plan.

Khadi artisans in Andhra Pradesh

1545. DR. DASARI NARAYANA RAO: Will the Minister of AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Khadi artisans in Andhra Pradesh as on date, district-wise; and

(b) the details of the welfare measures Government have extended to these artisans?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES (SHRI SANGH PRIYA GAUTAM): (a) The number of Khadi artisans in Andhra Pradesh as on date district-wise, is given at Statement (*See* below)

(b) The Khadi programme is regulated by a set of certification rules, under which provisions have been made for Artisans Welfare Fund and Artisans Benefit Fund for the welfare of spinners and weavers engaged in Khadi programme, which is applicable for Andhra Pradesh also. In addition, 'Khadi Package' announced by the Government on 14.05.2001 *inter-alia* provides for Insurance cover to Khadi artisans in the country.